



PATENT APPLICATION

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Katsutoshi NISHIMOTO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2125

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Examiner: Zoila E. Cabrera

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For: PARTS PROCUREMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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